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## Here Comes Peter Cotton Tail

Karen Carter, age six, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carter of Pine Ridge Road, appears to be all set for the Easter Bunny. Her only problem will be deciding on which one she wants. (Photo by James Barringer).

## Incorporation Vote Proposal Approved By Development Assoc.

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Members of the Cooleemee Industrial Development Association approved a proposal to call for a vote on the incorporation of the town of Cooleemee at a meeting last Thursday night at the Recreation Center here.

Only the members, living within the boundaries of elgibility to vote in the upcoming election, were permitted to vote on this proposal. There was very little opposition at this time, mainly because this was merely a vote to hold an election that will give each individual resident of the

town a chance to vote the way they want to

This was not a vote to incorporate the town, as some residents may believe. This approval will simply give the people of Cooleemee a chance to exercise their given rights by voting in the election.

The board of directors of the CIDA will decide when the vote will be called. At the same time, five councilmen will be elected to serve on the Cooleemee town Board.

Prior to the election on the incorporation of the town, a public meeting will be set up, possibly in the school auditorium, to inform the people of the cost of such an election and other matters concerning incorporation procedures.

The directors will make every effort to have legal and professional authorities of all related fields, present at this meeting. There will also be a representative from Burlington Industries on hand to try to answer any questions the people may have.

State representatives present at Thursday's meeting included Sherman Pickard of the League of Munic-Continued on P. 5